## Exhibit 10

# **Basic Health**

# Denial, Appeals, Grievances (DAG) and Independent Reviews Instructions

**Calendar Quarter:** Quarter in which Grievances were received:

1<sup>st -</sup> Jan-March, 2011 2<sup>nd -</sup> April-June, 2011

3<sup>rd -</sup> July-September, 2011 4<sup>th -</sup> October-December, 2011

Report Submission: 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter, 2011 Due: May 1, 2011

2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter, 2011 **Due: August 1, 2011** 

### **Submittal Instructions**

 Written analysis of data outcomes must be submitted electronically through the secure HCA Valicert web site (<a href="https://sft.wa.gov">https://sft.wa.gov</a>). Submitter must send an upload notification to HCA at <a href="https://sft.wa.gov">hca.wa.gov</a> for the Basic Health Program.

- Submissions must be labeled with CONTRACTOR name, reporting year and quarter, and line of business
- Claims data used for this analysis must be made available to HCA within 10 business days of request and will then be reported and loaded separately onto the secure web site by line of business to ensure compliance with HIPAA privacy requirements.
- HCA reserves the right to audit any reported complaint, grievance, or appeal upon providing 14 calendar days notice to CONTRACTOR.

#### **Content Guidance**

The report that is sent to HCA quarterly will provide the CONTRACTOR's analysis of its Denials, Appeals and Grievances (DAG). HCA will not dictate the format or information that is to be included in the report. However, CONTRACTOR must provide the overall picture of how the DAGs are being addressed and include details of how the CONTRACTOR is meeting State and Federal law.

HCA reserves the right to require additional data from CONTRACTOR at any time.

#### **Definitions**

For the purposes of reporting, CONTRACTOR must provide a data set which includes and is compliant with the definitions contained it the Patient Bill of Rights (PBOR) chapter 48.43 RCW.